NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity) RLL-1/78US In Re Application Of: KUMAR et al. Serial No. Filing Date Examiner Group Art Ur 09/888,268 06/22/2001 1615 Micha Paul Young Invention: RECEIVED bioaVaftabile dosage form of loratadine JUL 2 5 2003 JUL 2 3 2003 THE TRADEM! TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated 04/23/2003 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-18 The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0912 Dated: July 21, 2003 Signature JAYADEEP R. DESHMUKH, ESQ., Reg. No. 34,507 I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on $J_{\nu}ly$ 21, 2003 with the U.S. Postal Service as RANBAXY PHARMACEUTICALS INC. 600 College Road East, Suite 2100

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